

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRAPRADESH
ABSTRACT

Revenue(Disaster Management) Department - Natural Calamities –Release of Rs.208,95,35,000/-(Rupees Two hundred and eight crore ninety five lakhs Thirty five thousand only) towards input subsidy for Horticulture crops damage due to HUDHUD Cyclone of October, 2014 from State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF) – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE [DM-I] DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 304

Dated 10.12.2014.
Read the following:-

- (1) G.O.Rt.No.09, Revenue (DM-III) Dept., dated 12-10-2014.
- (2) G.O.Rt.No.11, Revenue (DM-I) Dept., dated 18-10-2014.
- (3) G.O.Rt.No.274, Revenue (DM-I) Dept., dated 21-11-2014
- (4) G.O.Rt.No.275, Revenue (DM-I) Dept., dated 21-11-2014
- (5) G.O.Rt.No.302, Revenue (DM-I) Dept., dated 09-12-2014
- (6) From the Commissioner of Horticulture, A.P., Hyderabad
Letter No. P&M(1)40/2014, dt.08.12.2014.
- (7) G.O.Rt.No. 2942, Finance (EBS-VIII-REV.IC) Dept.,
dated 10.12.2014.

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ORDER:

In the references 1st & 2nd read above, orders have been issued enhancing the scale of assistance to the affected families of the "Very Severe Cyclonic Storm "HUDHUD" duly considering the magnitude of loss it has caused.

2. In the references 3rd and 4th read above, Government have issued sanction orders for an amount of Rs.520.00 lakh towards input subsidy from SDRF for the damages cause to Oil Palm gardens due to Hudhud cyclone and an amount of Rs.133.00 lakhs for payment of enhanced subsidy @75% to those vegetable farmers where vegetable crop is damaged in the Hudhud Cyclone affected areas of Visakhapatnam, Srikakulam, Vizianagaram and East Godavari District to provide appropriate gratuitous relief to the affected farmers.

3. In the reference 5th read above, sanction was accorded for an aggregate amount of Rs.**202,42,35,000/-** (Rupees Two hundred and Two crores seventy Forty two lakhs and Thirty Five thousand only) towards input subsidy to the affected farmers of Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam & East Godavari districts due to " Hudhud" Cyclone occurred during October, 2014 covering an area of 81455.56 Ha for covering 239781 farmers.

4. In the reference 7th read above, the Finance(Exp.Rev)Dept., issued Budget Release Order(BRO) for an amount of Rs.208,95,35,000(Rupees Two hundred and eight crore ninety five lakhs Thirty five thousand only) Non-plan as additional funds in relaxation of Treasury Control and Quarterly Regulation orders towards meeting the expenditure for Hudhud Cyclone / Floods October-2014.

5. After careful examination of the matter, Government hereby release an amount of Rs.208,95,35,000/-(Rupees Two hundred and eight crore ninety five lakhs Thirty five thousand only) from State Disaster Response Fund (SDRF) to the Commissioner of Horticulture, Hyderabad towards input subsidy for Small/Marginal and Other farmers as per State norms, and as per orders issued in the reference 1st & 2nd read above whose Horticulture

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crop loss is 50% and above due to 'Hudhud' Cyclone, occurred during October, 2014 subject to conditions that , (i) in case of online disbursement the payment of input subsidy will be done directly to the bank accounts of farmers which should be Aadhar linked and in case of payment through cheques to farmers in tribal areas in Visakhapatnam, cheque shall be distributed to the actual farmer in the enumerated list (ii) the Payments shall be made within a period of 90 days from the date of release of funds (iii) Every farmer will be entitled for input subsidy for only one Disaster for the same agricultural season (iv) Any amount drawn remain un disbursed to the accounts of the ryots even after the lapse of 90 days, shall lapse to the Government account.

6. The expenditure sanctioned in para (5) above shall be debited to the Head of Account mentioned below and the procedure of drawal of funds shall be, by means of AC Bills.

MJH - 2245 - Relief on account of Natural Calamities
SMJH - 02 - Floods, Cyclones etc.,
M.H 101 - Gratuitous Relief
SH (09) - Supply of Seeds, Fertilizers and Agricultural implements
310 - Grants - in - Aid
312 - Other Grants - in- Aid

7. The Commissioner of Horticulture, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad is authorized to draw the amount sanctioned in para (5) above and arrange to disburse/distribute the same to the affected Small/Marginal and Other farmers through transfer to bank account by way of RTGS/ EFT (Real Time Gross Settlement/ Electronic Funds Transfer.

8. The Commissioner of Horticulture, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad is directed to furnish the District-wise distribution particulars to the Government as well as Director of State Audit, A.P. Hyderabad urgently.

9. The Commissioner of Horticulture, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad is also directed to furnish the Consolidated Utilization Certificates for the amount already released upto 2013-14 and for the amounts released now duly verified by the Andhra Pradesh State Audit Authorities. The Commissioner of Horticulture shall remit back the unspent balances, if any, forthwith to Government Account.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

A.R.SUKUMAR
Commissioner for Disaster Management &
Ex-Officio Principal Secretary to Government

To

The Commissioner of Horticulture, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Principal Secretary to Govt., Agriculture & Cooperation (FP-II) Dept.

The District Collectors of Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam & East Godavari districts.

The District Treasury Officers of Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam & East Godavari districts.

The Commissioner of I & PR Dept., Hyderabad for issue of Note to all the Electronic & Print media.

The Pay & Accounts Officer, Hyderabad.

The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P., Hyderabad

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The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad
The Director of State Audit, AP., Hyderabad
The Finance (R&E) Department
The P.S to Minister for Finance /Revenue/Agriculture/Horticulture
The P.S to Chief Secretary to Govt. of A.P.
The P.S to Principal Secretary to C.M
The Accounts Officer, Revenue (D.M) Department
The P S to CDM & EOPS., Revenue (D.M) Department.
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SECTION OFFICER